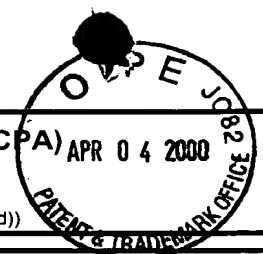


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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d) (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 08/738,659 filed on OCTOBER 30, 1996 entitled **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DIAGNOSIS AND CONTROL OF MACHINES USING CONNECTION AND CONNECTIONLESS MODES OF COMMUNICATION**

- ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
- ☒ A preliminary amendment will follow.
- ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53(d)(4):
 - ☐ DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:
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- ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.
- ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
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7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check is enclosed, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **15-0030**.

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